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SUBJECT: WTDR/FTI - INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL LTD. PARTNERSHIP

REF: USDOC 11576

1. THAILAND 2. CNTRY CODE: 549 3. SER. NO: N/A
4. INTERNATIONAL CHEMICAL LTD. PARTNERSHIP
- 4A. CODE: P
5. 571-573 CHAKRAPHET ROAD
6. BANGKOK, THAILAND
7. ESTABL: 1967 8. EMPL: 8 9. SIZE: (21-X) SMALL
10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD
11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS IN THE FOLLOWING FOREIGN AREAS LISTED IN
ORDER OF IMPORTANCE: THAILAND; WEST GERMANY, SWEDEN,
ENGLAND.
12. RPT. DATE: 08/76
- 13A. 28330/35 IMP. DIST. OF PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMICALS.
- 13B. 22217/4 EXP. OF SILK FABRICS.
14. CONTACT: MR. PHOLTHEP VIRASINGH TITLE: MANAGING PARTNER
15. CABLE: BALDEV 16. TELEX: N/A 17. TEL. 2222554
18. FINANCIAL REFS: BANGKOK BANK LTD., SILOM BRANCH, BANGKOK.
19. TRADE REFS: AMERICAN ROLAND CORP., 16 HUDSON STREET, NEW
YORK, N.Y. 11554.
20. AGENCY REP: PROTER SPA, VIA LAMBRO 38, 20090 OPERA, MILAN,
ITALY, FOR CHEMICAL, ACQUIRED 1967; SIEMGLUS & SOHN, P.O.
BOX 10 56 24, 2000 HAMBURG, W. GERMANY, FOR CHEMICALS, ACQUIRED
1968; S.I.M.S., FIRENCE, ITALY, FOR CHEMICALS, ACQUIRED: 1968.
21. SUBJECT FIRM WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1967 AS A PARTNERSHIP WITH
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REGISTERED CAPITAL OF \$30,000. IT IS PRINCIPALLY OWNED AND

MANAGED BY MR. PHOLTHEP VIRASINGH, A 44 YEAR OLD BUSINESSMAN FROM AN INDIAN FAMILY. FIRM IMPORTS PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMICALS FOR DIRECT SALE TO LOCAL PHARMACEUTICAL PLANTS. SEVENTY PERCENT OF ITS IMPORTS ARE FROM WEST GERMANY. IT ALSO EXPORTS THAI SILK FABRICS, READY-MADE GARMENTS AND GIFT ARTICLES TO WEST GERMANY, SWEDEN AND ENGLAND. ITS 1975 SALES WERE REPORTED TO BE APPROXIMATELY \$900,000. A LOCAL BANK REPORTS THAT SUBJECT HAS MAINTAINED A WELL-CONDUCTED CURRENT ACCOUNT SINCE 1970 AND HAS BEEN GRANTED SUBSTANTIAL CREDIT FACILITIES WITH SATISFACTORY RESULTS. FIRM IS CONSIDERED TO BE A GOOD TRADE CONTACT FOR U.S. SUPPLIERS.

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